

## 2011 FIELD CROPS HIGHLIGHTS

### Value

The 2011 total value of production for corn, cotton, cottonseed, hay, peanuts, pecans, soybeans, and wheat totaled \$351 million, a decrease of 21% from the previous year's total of \$291 million. The value of production of cotton (\$75.9 million) and cottonseed (\$10.5 million) increased 43 and 101 percent, respectively. The total value of peanut production increased by 31 percent and was valued at \$132 million.

### Acreage and Production

Acreage harvested in 2011 for corn, cotton, hay, peanuts, soybeans, and wheat totaled 589 thousand acres, down 2 percent from the 599 thousand acres harvested in 2010. Harvested acres for cotton (118,000), corn (30,000), wheat (8,000), and peanuts (157,000) increased; whereas, acreage for soybeans (16,000) and hay (260,000) decreased. Production increased for peanuts (16%), cotton (29%), cottonseed (33%), corn (14%), pecans (7%), and wheat (29%). Production decreased for hay (19%) and soybeans (37%).

### Sugarcane

Florida producers harvested 397 thousand acres of sugarcane for sugar and seed in 2011, up 1 percent from the previous year. Production in 2011 was up 7 percent totaling 13,837 thousand tons. The value of production for the 2010 crop was \$493 million, down ten percent from the previous year.

### Crop Weather

In **January** 2011, freezing temperatures were present during the first of the year. In mid-January, temperatures averaged four to 14 degrees below normal throughout Florida. Sugarcane that had been badly damaged by the freeze was quickly harvested and sent to processors. Some plant cane was destroyed. Drought conditions were more prevalent than the year prior. During the last week of January all parts of the State showed some form of drought according to the U.S. Drought Monitor; whereas, the year prior during the same period, no drought was recorded for the State.

In **February**, scattered showers did not significantly alleviate the drought conditions. Towards the end of the month, temperatures averaged three to ten degrees above normal. Warm weather following the freezes caused some sugar to ferment in sugarcane stocks. Growers were able to replenish seed cane that was lost due to freezes in December and January. In the northern region, farmers prepared fields for spring row crops. In Okaloosa County, farmers tilled cotton and peanut fields. Sugarcane harvest was completed prematurely at the end of February due to the multiple freezes in December.

In **March**, temperatures were mostly warmer with the exception of the second week, when a light frost was experienced in the Panhandle and northern Peninsula. Surface water supplies for irrigation were being depleted in St. Lucie County. Ground preparation for planting of field crops remained on schedule in the Panhandle and northern Peninsula areas. Suwannee County producers were planting corn and prepared fields for planting peanuts.

In **April**, heavy rains fell the first week; however, low soil moisture conditions continued. Extreme drought conditions were present in the south. Towards the end of the month wildfires were a concern. Clear conditions towards the end of the month allowed fieldwork to remain active in the Panhandle and northern Peninsula. In Madison, Suwannee, Escambia, and Washington counties, the majority of field corn was planted but needed rain.

In **May**, little rain was recorded. The driest areas were located in the western Panhandle, Miami-Dade County north to Indian River, west to Collier County, and portions of surrounding counties. Planting of field crops was delayed in the western Panhandle due to inadequate soil moisture. In the western Panhandle, farmers were hesitant to plant peanuts. Cotton farmers in Washington County planted cotton with limited soil moisture. Also in Washington County, oats and wheat were drying quickly ahead of schedule. In Gadsden County, planted corn and peanuts showed signs of stress due to drought. By mid-May, peanut planting was 32 percent completed compared with 46 percent last year by this date. The 5-year average peanut planted progress was 38 percent.

In **June**, wildfire outbreaks continued across the State. Soil moisture was needed to improve growing conditions for the young crops. Nearly the entire Panhandle was in severe or extreme drought. The southern Peninsula area was in an extreme or exceptional drought. Months of below normal precipitation continued to deplete the water level in Lake Okeechobee. The water level was three feet below normal for this time of year and one foot above the record low of 8.82 feet set in July 2007. On June 13, Governor Rick Scott declared Florida in a State of Emergency due to drought and wildfires. The majority of the wildfires were along the East Coast. Growers planted cotton and peanuts in dry soils in order to meet the crop insurance deadlines. The soil was too hard for strip till planting to be effective in some areas. Across the Panhandle, early planted peanuts struggled to germinate due to the hot, dry weather. Only irrigated crops were thriving in the Panhandle and northern Peninsula areas. White mold and weed control were problems in peanut fields in Washington County. In the Everglades region, water restrictions thwarted sugarcane growth.

In **July**, there was seasonal rainfall throughout the month. Drought ratings continue to be exceptionally high. The rainfall improved soil moisture for crops and pastures, but the lingering effects of months of drought conditions was still evident. Rains improved crop growth, but most cotton and peanut fields appeared to be three to four weeks behind average development. Pest and disease pressure increased in field crops due to the improved moisture conditions coupled with the high temperatures. There were reports of grasshopper outbreaks in some sugarcane fields.

In **August**, Tropical Storm Irene bypassed the State as moderate rains continued. In Washington County, showers improved crop conditions for cotton, peanuts, soybeans, and hay. Peanut producers were busy spraying for leaf spot and white mold.

In **September**, rains were more plentiful than the previous month. Armyworms were observed feeding on many crops in some counties. Sugarcane producers prepared to begin harvesting in the Everglades region.

In **October**, rains continued and temperatures began to cool off. Dry soils in Holmes County continued to hamper the harvesting of peanuts and planting of winter crops. Weather conditions were ideal for harvesting of cotton, soybeans, and peanuts. There was a large disparity in yields based on the availability of irrigation to mitigate the effects of the drought during the growing season.

In **November**, temperatures were cooler than usual averaging two to six degrees below normal the first half of the month. The second half of the month was warmer than usual and temperatures were two to seven degrees above normal. The month was relatively dry with little rain. The field crop harvest continued without weather interruptions. The dry weather had an adverse effect on late maturing cotton in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties. At the end of November, the peanut harvest was 99 percent complete. Sugarcane harvesting continued in the Everglades region.

In **December**, drought conditions were not as prevalent as the previous year. Field crop harvesting ended for most crops.

# Florida Field Crops: Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

[All 2011 estimates are preliminary.]

| Crop and year                      | Area          |               | Yield     | Production      | Season average price | Value of production |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
|                                    | Planted       | Harvested     |           |                 |                      |                     |
|                                    | (1,000 acres) | (1,000 acres) | (bushels) | (1,000 bushels) | (dollars)            | (1,000 dollars)     |
| <b>Corn <sup>1</sup></b>           |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                          | 75            | 37            | 96        | 3,552           | 2.60                 | 9,235               |
| 2003.....                          | 75            | 39            | 82        | 3,198           | 2.55                 | 8,155               |
| 2004.....                          | 70            | 32            | 90        | 2,880           | 2.30                 | 6,624               |
| 2005.....                          | 65            | 28            | 94        | 2,632           | 2.00                 | 5,264               |
| 2006.....                          | 60            | 30            | 82        | 2,460           | 2.80                 | 6,888               |
| 2007.....                          | 70            | 35            | 90        | 3,150           | 4.00                 | 12,600              |
| 2008.....                          | 70            | 35            | 105       | 3,675           | 4.50                 | 16,538              |
| 2009.....                          | 70            | 37            | 100       | 3,700           | 4.00                 | 14,800              |
| 2010.....                          | 60            | 25            | 105       | 2,625           | 4.70                 | 12,338              |
| 2011.....                          | 65            | 30            | 100       | 3,000           | 6.80                 | 20,400              |
|                                    |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| <b>Cotton, Upland <sup>2</sup></b> |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                          | 120.0         | 105.0         | 439       | 96.0            | 0.440                | 20,275              |
| 2003.....                          | 94.0          | 92.0          | 610       | 117.0           | 0.655                | 36,785              |
| 2004.....                          | 89.0          | 87.0          | 601       | 109.0           | 0.464                | 24,276              |
| 2005.....                          | 86.0          | 85.0          | 762       | 135.0           | 0.480                | 31,104              |
| 2006.....                          | 103.0         | 101.0         | 789       | 166.0           | 0.462                | 36,812              |
| 2007.....                          | 85.0          | 81.0          | 687       | 116.0           | 0.580                | 32,294              |
| 2008.....                          | 67.0          | 65.0          | 916       | 124.0           | 0.504                | 29,998              |
| 2009.....                          | 82.0          | 78.0          | 723       | 117.5           | 0.673                | 37,957              |
| 2010.....                          | 92.0          | 89.0          | 766       | 142.0           | 0.779                | 53,097              |
| 2011.....                          | 122.0         | 118.0         | 744       | 183.0           | 0.958                | 75,874              |
|                                    |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| <b>Cottonseed</b>                  |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 29.0            | 81.50                | 2,364               |
| 2003.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 37.0            | 99.00                | 3,663               |
| 2004.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 35.0            | 86.00                | 3,010               |
| 2005.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 41.1            | 75.00                | 3,083               |
| 2006.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 49.3            | 92.50                | 4,560               |
| 2007.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 32.9            | 161.00               | 5,297               |
| 2008.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 32.6            | 207.00               | 6,748               |
| 2009.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 34.5            | 135.00               | 4,658               |
| 2010.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 40.0            | 130.00               | 5,200               |
| 2011.....                          | (X)           | (X)           | (X)       | 53.0            | 218.00               | 10,464              |

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| Crop<br>and<br>year          | Area          |               | Yield  | Production   | Season<br>average<br>price | Value<br>of<br>production |
|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|--------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
|                              | Planted       | Harvested     |        |              |                            |                           |
|                              | (1,000 acres) | (1,000 acres) | (tons) | (1,000 tons) | (dollars)                  | (1,000 dollars)           |
| <b>Hay, All <sup>3</sup></b> |               |               |        |              |                            |                           |
| 2002.....                    | (X)           | 280           | 2.80   | 784          | 97.00                      | 76,048                    |
| 2003.....                    | (X)           | 255           | 2.50   | 638          | 90.00                      | 57,420                    |
| 2004.....                    | (X)           | 260           | 2.50   | 650          | 93.00                      | 60,450                    |
| 2005.....                    | (X)           | 290           | 2.45   | 711          | 98.50                      | 70,034                    |
| 2006.....                    | (X)           | 300           | 2.30   | 690          | 101.00                     | 69,690                    |
| 2007.....                    | (X)           | 320           | 3.00   | 960          | 116.00                     | 111,360                   |
| 2008.....                    | (X)           | 300           | 3.00   | 900          | 136.00                     | 122,400                   |
| 2009.....                    | (X)           | 300           | 2.70   | 810          | 140.00                     | 113,400                   |
| 2010.....                    | (X)           | 320           | 2.40   | 768          | 141.00                     | 108,288                   |
| 2011.....                    | (X)           | 260           | 2.40   | 624          | 164.00                     | 102,336                   |
|                              |               |               |        |              |                            |                           |
| <b>Peanuts <sup>4</sup></b>  |               |               |        |              |                            |                           |
| 2002.....                    | 96            | 86            | 2,300  | 197,800      | 0.178                      | 35,208                    |
| 2003.....                    | 125           | 115           | 3,000  | 345,000      | 0.185                      | 63,825                    |
| 2004.....                    | 145           | 130           | 2,800  | 364,000      | 0.181                      | 65,884                    |
| 2005.....                    | 160           | 152           | 2,700  | 410,400      | 0.167                      | 68,537                    |
| 2006.....                    | 130           | 120           | 2,500  | 300,000      | 0.173                      | 51,900                    |
| 2007.....                    | 130           | 119           | 2,700  | 321,300      | 0.186                      | 59,762                    |
| 2008.....                    | 150           | 140           | 3,200  | 448,000      | 0.221                      | 99,008                    |
| 2009.....                    | 115           | 105           | 3,200  | 336,000      | 0.202                      | 67,872                    |
| 2010.....                    | 145           | 135           | 3,500  | 472,500      | 0.213                      | 100,643                   |
| 2011.....                    | 170           | 157           | 3,500  | 549,500      | 0.240                      | 131,880                   |
|                              |               |               |        |              |                            |                           |
| <b>Soybeans <sup>4</sup></b> |               |               |        |              |                            |                           |
| 2002.....                    | 10            | 9             | 33     | 297          | 5.35                       | 1,589                     |
| 2003.....                    | 13            | 12            | 30     | 360          | 6.90                       | 2,484                     |
| 2004.....                    | 19            | 17            | 34     | 578          | 5.60                       | 3,237                     |
| 2005.....                    | 9             | 8             | 32     | 256          | 5.40                       | 1,382                     |
| 2006.....                    | 7             | 5             | 27     | 135          | 6.25                       | 844                       |
| 2007.....                    | 14            | 12            | 24     | 288          | 8.90                       | 2,563                     |
| 2008.....                    | 32            | 29            | 38     | 1,102        | 8.50                       | 9,367                     |
| 2009.....                    | 37            | 34            | 38     | 1,292        | 9.50                       | 12,274                    |
| 2010.....                    | 25            | 23            | 30     | 690          | 11.00                      | 7,590                     |
| 2011.....                    | 18            | 16            | 27     | 432          | 11.00                      | 4,752                     |

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[All 2011 estimates are preliminary.]

| Crop and year                       | Area          |               | Yield     | Production      | Season average price | Value of production |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
|                                     | Planted       | Harvested     |           |                 |                      |                     |
|                                     | (1,000 acres) | (1,000 acres) | (tons)    | (1,000 tons)    | (dollars)            | (1,000 dollars)     |
| <b>Sugarcane For Sugar and Seed</b> |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                           | (X)           | 461           | 38.3      | 17,653          | 31.70                | 559,600             |
| 2003.....                           | (X)           | 438           | 39.3      | 17,231          | 31.55                | 549,669             |
| 2004.....                           | (X)           | 406           | 35.2      | 14,281          | 30.30                | 432,714             |
| 2005.....                           | (X)           | 401           | 31.8      | 12,746          | 28.00                | 356,888             |
| 2006.....                           | (X)           | 400           | 35.9      | 14,346          | 31.10                | 446,161             |
| 2007.....                           | (X)           | 393           | 36.1      | 14,177          | 31.60                | 447,993             |
| 2008.....                           | (X)           | 401           | 33.1      | 13,255          | 30.10                | 398,975             |
| 2009.....                           | (X)           | 387           | 36.0      | 13,939          | 39.50                | 550,591             |
| 2010.....                           | (X)           | 392           | 33.1      | 12,972          | 38.00                | 492,936             |
| 2011.....                           | (X)           | 397           | 34.9      | 13,837          | (1)                  | (1)                 |
| <b>Sugarcane For Sugar</b>          |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                           | (X)           | 442           | 38.3      | 16,929          | 31.70                | 536,649             |
| 2003.....                           | (X)           | 419           | 39.3      | 16,467          | 31.90                | 525,297             |
| 2004.....                           | (X)           | 385           | 34.9      | 13,437          | 30.30                | 407,141             |
| 2005.....                           | (X)           | 376           | 31.4      | 11,806          | 28.00                | 330,568             |
| 2006.....                           | (X)           | 382           | 35.8      | 13,676          | 31.10                | 425,324             |
| 2007.....                           | (X)           | 375           | 36.0      | 13,500          | 31.60                | 426,600             |
| 2008.....                           | (X)           | 384           | 32.9      | 12,634          | 30.10                | 380,283             |
| 2009.....                           | (X)           | 370           | 35.9      | 13,283          | 39.50                | 524,679             |
| 2010.....                           | (X)           | 374           | 32.7      | 12,230          | 38.00                | 464,740             |
| 2011.....                           | (X)           | 378           | 34.6      | 13,079          | (5)                  | (5)                 |
|                                     |               |               | (bushels) | (1,000 bushels) |                      |                     |
| <b>Wheat, Winter</b>                |               |               |           |                 |                      |                     |
| 2002.....                           | 19            | 7             | 35        | 245             | 2.40                 | 588                 |
| 2003.....                           | 20            | 12            | 41        | 492             | 3.00                 | 1,476               |
| 2004.....                           | 18            | 15            | 45        | 675             | 3.45                 | 2,329               |
| 2005.....                           | 18            | 8             | 45        | 360             | 3.10                 | 1,116               |
| 2006.....                           | 8             | 5             | 42        | 210             | 3.15                 | 662                 |
| 2007.....                           | 13            | 9             | 55        | 495             | 4.00                 | 1,980               |
| 2008.....                           | 25            | 23            | 55        | 1,265           | 5.50                 | 6,958               |
| 2009.....                           | 17            | 14            | 43        | 602             | 4.30                 | 2,589               |
| 2010.....                           | 12            | 7             | 40        | 280             | 5.00                 | 1,400               |
| 2011.....                           | 12            | 8             | 45        | 360             | 6.60                 | 2,376               |

X Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Planted for all purposes; harvested for grain.

<sup>2</sup> Production in 480-pound net weight bales.

<sup>3</sup> Baled hay.

<sup>4</sup> Planted for all purposes; harvested for dry nuts or beans.

<sup>5</sup> Estimates of season average price and value of production for the 2011 crop will be available February 2013.

### Florida Pecans: Production, Price, and Value by Variety, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

| Year      | Utilized production             |                     |                | Price per pound    |                     |            |
|-----------|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
|           | Improved varieties <sup>1</sup> | Native and seedling | All pecans     | Improved varieties | Native and seedling | All pecans |
|           | (1,000 pounds)                  | (1,000 pounds)      | (1,000 pounds) | (dollars)          | (dollars)           | (dollars)  |
| 2002..... | 500                             | 900                 | 1,400          | .870               | .500                | .632       |
| 2003..... | 500                             | 1,600               | 2,100          | 1.000              | .600                | .695       |
| 2004..... | 400                             | 100                 | 500            | 1.500              | .950                | 1.390      |
| 2005..... | 300                             | 700                 | 1,000          | 1.400              | .850                | 1.020      |
| 2006..... | 200                             | 300                 | 500            | 1.800              | 1.500               | 1.620      |
| 2007..... | 1,700                           | 200                 | 1,900          | 1.000              | .700                | .968       |
| 2008..... | 1,400                           | 300                 | 1,700          | 2.000              | 1.100               | 1.840      |
| 2009..... | 1,500                           | 1,600               | 3,100          | 1.200              | 1.100               | 1.150      |
| 2010..... | 1,200                           | 300                 | 1,500          | 1.900              | 1.100               | 1.740      |
| 2011..... | 1,300                           | 300                 | 1,600          | 1.850              | 1.400               | 1.770      |

<sup>1</sup> Budded, grafted, or topworked varieties.

### Florida Pecans: Value of Utilized Production by Variety, Crop Years 2002 through 2011

| Year      | Improved varieties <sup>1</sup> | Native and seedling | All pecans      |
|-----------|---------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
|           | (1,000 dollars)                 | (1,000 dollars)     | (1,000 dollars) |
| 2002..... | 435                             | 450                 | 885             |
| 2003..... | 500                             | 960                 | 1,460           |
| 2004..... | 600                             | 95                  | 695             |
| 2005..... | 420                             | 595                 | 1,015           |
| 2006..... | 360                             | 450                 | 810             |
| 2007..... | 1,700                           | 140                 | 1,840           |
| 2008..... | 2,800                           | 330                 | 3,130           |
| 2009..... | 1,800                           | 1,760               | 3,560           |
| 2010..... | 2,280                           | 330                 | 2,610           |
| 2011..... | 2,405                           | 420                 | 2,825           |

<sup>1</sup> Budded, grafted, or topworked varieties.

# Florida Peanuts: Acreage, Yield and Production, by District and County, 2010 and 2011

| District and county   | Planted for all purposes |                | Harvested for dry peanuts |                | Yield per acre |                | Production     |                |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                       | 2010                     | 2011           | 2010                      | 2011           | 2010           | 2011           | 2010           | 2011           |
|                       | (acres)                  | (acres)        | (acres)                   | (acres)        | (pounds)       | (pounds)       | (1,000 pounds) | (1,000 pounds) |
| <b>District 10</b>    |                          |                |                           |                |                |                |                |                |
| Calhoun.....          | 4,000                    | 3,900          | 3,900                     | 3,600          | 3,590          | 3,500          | 14,000         | 12,600         |
| Escambia .....        | 7,400                    | 6,600          | 7,100                     | 6,100          | 4,254          | 4,180          | 30,200         | 25,500         |
| Holmes .....          | 5,700                    | 7,100          | 5,400                     | 6,400          | 2,370          | 2,891          | 12,800         | 18,500         |
| Jackson .....         | 34,000                   | 32,300         | 32,200                    | 29,500         | 2,764          | 3,356          | 89,000         | 99,000         |
| Okaloosa .....        | 2,400                    | 2,000          | 2,300                     | 1,800          | 2,826          | 3,333          | 6,500          | 6,000          |
| Santa Rosa.....       | 17,800                   | 16,000         | 17,100                    | 14,900         | 3,977          | 3,893          | 68,000         | 58,000         |
| Walton .....          | <sup>(1)</sup>           | 5,500          | <sup>(1)</sup>            | 5,100          | <sup>(1)</sup> | 3,333          | <sup>(1)</sup> | 17,000         |
| Washington .....      | 4,100                    | 4,400          | 3,900                     | 4,100          | 3,846          | 3,902          | 15,000         | 16,000         |
| Other, District 10... | 6,400                    | 3,500          | 6,100                     | 3,200          | 3,361          | 2,938          | 20,500         | 9,400          |
| Total .....           | 81,800                   | 81,300         | 78,000                    | 74,700         | 3,282          | 3,507          | 256,000        | 262,000        |
| <b>District 30</b>    |                          |                |                           |                |                |                |                |                |
| Columbia .....        | <sup>(2)</sup>           | 6,500          | <sup>(2)</sup>            | 5,900          | <sup>(2)</sup> | 3,254          | <sup>(2)</sup> | 19,200         |
| Hamilton .....        | 4,900                    | 6,700          | 4,300                     | 6,200          | 4,070          | 3,952          | 17,500         | 24,500         |
| Madison.....          | 8,500                    | <sup>(2)</sup> | 7,900                     | <sup>(2)</sup> | 3,924          | <sup>(2)</sup> | 31,000         | <sup>(2)</sup> |
| Suwannee .....        | 10,200                   | 14,100         | 9,400                     | 13,000         | 3,766          | 3,846          | 35,400         | 50,000         |
| Other, District 30... | 7,400                    | 13,500         | 6,300                     | 12,600         | 3,667          | 3,913          | 23,100         | 49,300         |
| Total .....           | 31,000                   | 40,800         | 27,900                    | 37,700         | 3,835          | 3,793          | 107,000        | 143,000        |
| Other, State .....    | 32,200                   | 47,900         | 29,100                    | 44,600         | 3,763          | 3,240          | 109,500        | 144,500        |
| State Total.....      | 145,000                  | 170,000        | 135,000                   | 157,000        | 3,500          | 3,500          | 472,500        | 549,500        |

<sup>1</sup> Included in Other, District 10.

<sup>2</sup> Included in Other, District 30.

### Florida Cotton: Acreage, Yield and Production, by District and County, 2010 and 2011

| District and county | Planted |         | Harvested |         | Yield per acre |          | Production |         |
|---------------------|---------|---------|-----------|---------|----------------|----------|------------|---------|
|                     | 2010    | 2011    | 2010      | 2011    | 2010           | 2011     | 2010       | 2011    |
|                     | (acres) | (acres) | (acres)   | (acres) | (pounds)       | (pounds) | (bales)    | (bales) |
| District 10         |         |         |           |         |                |          |            |         |
| Calhoun.....        | (1)     | 9,600   | (1)       | 9,500   | (1)            | 884      | (1)        | 17,500  |
| Escambia .....      | (1)     | 11,800  | (1)       | 11,600  | (1)            | 886      | (1)        | 21,400  |
| Holmes .....        | (1)     | 5,200   | (1)       | 4,650   | (1)            | 557      | (1)        | 5,400   |
| Jackson .....       | (1)     | 45,700  | (1)       | 43,300  | (1)            | 732      | (1)        | 66,000  |
| Santa Rosa.....     | (1)     | 24,700  | (1)       | 24,600  | (1)            | 626      | (1)        | 32,100  |
| Walton .....        | (1)     | 5,200   | (1)       | 5,000   | (1)            | 749      | (1)        | 7,800   |
| Washington .....    | (1)     | 3,700   | (1)       | 3,650   | (1)            | 842      | (1)        | 6,400   |
| Other, State.....   | 92,000  | 8,100   | 89,000    | 7,900   | 766            | 814      | 142,000    | 13,400  |
| State Total.....    | 92,000  | 122,000 | 89,000    | 118,000 | 766            | 744      | 142,000    | 183,000 |

<sup>1</sup> Included in Other State.

### Florida Sugarcane for Sugar: Acreage, Yield and Production, by County, 2009 and 2010

| County           | Harvested |         | Yield per acre |        | Production |            |
|------------------|-----------|---------|----------------|--------|------------|------------|
|                  | 2009      | 2010    | 2009           | 2010   | 2009       | 2010       |
|                  | (acres)   | (acres) | (tons)         | (tons) | (tons)     | (tons)     |
| Glades.....      | 36,000    | 22,000  | 39.0           | 28.2   | 1,404,000  | 620,000    |
| Hendry.....      | 34,000    | 49,000  | 39.0           | 28.2   | 1,326,000  | 1,380,000  |
| Martin .....     | -         | 8,000   | -              | 46.3   | -          | 370,000    |
| Palm Beach ..... | 300,000   | 295,000 | 35.2           | 33.4   | 10,553,000 | 9,860,000  |
| State Total..... | 370,000   | 374,000 | 35.9           | 32.7   | 13,283,000 | 12,230,000 |

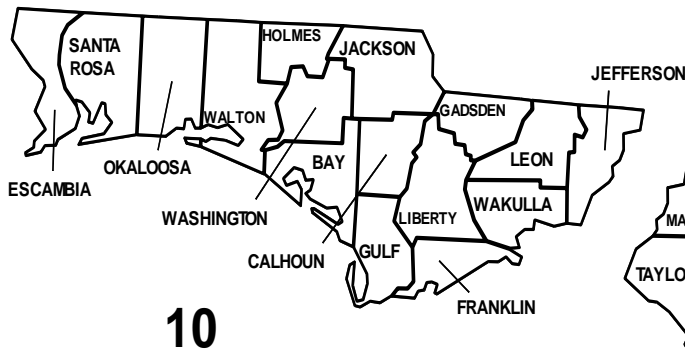
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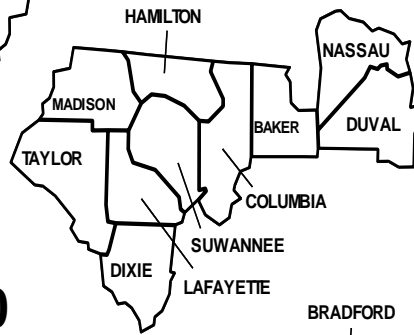
## Planting and Harvesting Seasons of Selected Florida Field Crops

| Crop<br>(Principal producing areas -<br>Agricultural Statistics<br>Districts or Counties) | Usual Planting Dates |     |     |     |     |     | Usual Harvesting Dates |             |     |     |     |     |
|---|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
|   |                      |     |     |     |     |     | Begin                  | Most Active |     |     | End |     |
|   | Mar                  | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep                    | Oct         | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb |
| <b>Corn for grain</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30, 50) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Corn for silage</b> .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30, 50) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Corn for forage</b> .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30, 50) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Cotton</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Peanuts for nuts</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30, 50) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Potatoes</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (30, 50, 80) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Soybeans</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Sugarcane</b> .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (3 counties*) .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Tobacco</b> .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30, 50) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Winter Wheat</b> .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (10, 30) .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| <b>Hay</b> .....  |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
| (Statewide) .....   |                      |     |     |     |     |     |                        |             |     |     |     |     |
|   | Mar                  | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep                    | Oct         | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb |

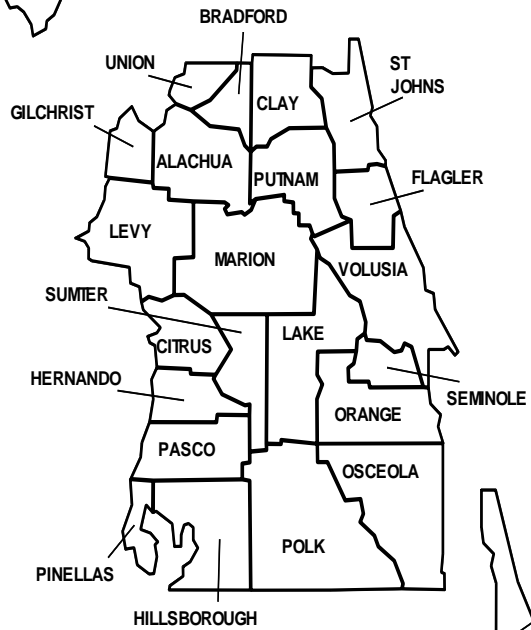
\* Palm Beach, Hendry, and Glades



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